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## COMPROMISE IS MADE BY AIRCRAFT INVESTIGATORS

### Hughes Will Proceed Unhindered by Congressional or Military Probe

WASHINGTON, May 22.—There will be no controversy in the senate over the military committee's war inquiry plans to which President Wilson objected and the department of justice investigation of aircraft production directed by Charles E. Hughes will proceed without having its path crossed by congress.

Developments came quickly today in a situation which had threatened an open fight on the floor of the senate and it is said administration leaders saw the possibility of two simultaneous inquiries into all phases of the government's aviation program.

First, a compromise was reached under which the resolution of Senator Chamberlain authorizing investigations of various branches of war activity including aviation was passed by the senate after being stripped of language which the president had construed as virtually constituting the military committee a committee on the conduct of the war.

Soon afterward Senator Chamberlain received a letter from Attorney General Gregory inclosing one from Mr. Hughes in which the latter stated that the work he has undertaken at President Wilson's request would be embarrassed by a parallel inquiry. Mr. Hughes outlined his idea of how the department's investigation should be carried on declaring it should go into the whole history of aircraft production since the war began and that a statement of results should be given to the public regardless of whether basis were found for either criminal proceedings in the court.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Attorney General Gregory sent to the senate military committee today a letter from Charles E. Hughes, who at President Wilson's request is directing the department of justice investigation of aircraft production saying the department's task should proceed unembarrassed by a parallel inquiry.

This development came after the senate had passed a compromise resolution accepted by administration leaders authorizing war inquiries by military sub-committees. The committee proceeded with the appointment of its aviation sub-committee after reading the Hughes letter.

The sub-committee consists of Senator Thomas of Colorado, chairman, and Senator Reed of Missouri and Smith of Georgia, Democrats; and New of Indiana, and Frelinghuysen of New Jersey, Republicans.

Mr. Hughes, outlining to the attorney general his idea of the form of investigation should take said the entire history of aircraft production since the war began should be gone into and should be followed by a complete statement of facts discovered regardless of whether basis was found for criminal or civil proceedings. In view of Mr. Hughes' attitude, senator leaders said it virtually was certain that the aviation sub-committee's activities would be confined wholly to visiting plants and looking over the present situation and that inquiry into the past would be left entirely to the department of justice.

"In accordance with your request," Mr. Hughes wrote, "I shall attempt to summarize briefly some of the points discussed in our conference today particularly with respect to the scope of our inquiry."

"It is quite evident, from the material you have already gathered and from the matters discussed with you and Mr. Frieron that it would be necessary for us carefully to examine all the activities relating to aircraft production. It is easy of course, theoretically to distinguish between an inquiry within the province of the department of justice and one which is aimed merely at alleged waste or neglect or mismanagement, or, inefficiency, apart from any appropriate basis for a civil suit to recover misappropriated monies or a criminal prosecution."

"As a practical matter, however, it is evident that in the endeavor to determine whether there is a basis for a civil suit by the government or a criminal prosecution, it will be necessary for us to make a thorough inquiry into the entire history of aircraft production since the beginning of the war and of all proceedings which have been taken by any persons or corporations concerned therewith. We shall not be able to ascertain whether there had been dishonesty or malversation of any kind unless we go thoroly into all the transactions which have been had."

Lathrop Ward is here from Battle Creek, Mich., for a brief visit at the home of his father, Charles H. Ward, on West College avenue. Mr. Ward has for a number of years held a responsible position in the offices of the C. W. Post company.

### LA FOLLETTE'S COUNSEL CLOSES ARGUMENT

Attorney Concludes with Statement That Wisconsin Senator is Not Disloyal and Has Been Misrepresented.

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Counsel for Senator LaFollette closed today the argument begun yesterday before the senate privileges and elections committee in support of a motion to dismiss charges that statements by the Wisconsin senator in speech at St. Paul last September were disloyal and sedition. Gilbert M. Roe, of New York, the senator's attorney concluded with the declaration that Senator LaFollette is not disloyal and that to say that in his heart he desires to see the German cause succeed is unthinkable.

Two weeks were given the attorney to file a supplemental brief. There was no indication as to whether the committee will take any further steps in its consideration of the matter in the meantime.

Mr. Roe praised Senator LaFollette's record and asserted that even those who disagree with him on public questions agree that he is honest. The St. Paul speech, he said, bordered on the "common place" containing only facts which were of common knowledge and would not have attracted attention "if it had not been for the flood of newspaper misrepresentation that went out."

The attorney read from the text of the speech as submitted by him to the committee to show that Senator LaFollette had said that in entering the war this country had "cause for complaint" and "serious grievances" against Germany. He declared if there were any inaccurate statements, they were made in good faith by the senator and with no intention "to put the administration in the hole."

Senator LaFollette, he argued, is entitled to the presumption that he is honest and that he stated the truth. He said heckling by persons in the audience diverted the senator and that he had no intention of mentioning the Lusitania until someone in the audience asked about it.

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### AMERICANS RAIN GAS SHELLS ON HUN POSITIONS

### American Artillery Launches Sudden, Terrific Attack on Germans

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Tuesday, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The American artillery northwest of Toul launched a sudden and terrific local gas attack on the German positions and cantonments within the Gerechamp Wood early today. Severe punishment was inflicted upon the enemy. How

the deluge of American shells and smoke and gas came upon the German positions is not yet known.

New Yorker Defeats Boche.

With the American Army in France, Tuesday, May 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Lieutenant William H. Taylor of New York, chased a German biplane from the American lines to over Pagny-Sur-Moselle, north of Pont A-Mousson, today and defeated the boche in a desperate fight 5,000 metres in the air.

A bullet from the enemy machine barely missed Lieutenant Taylor and punctured a wing of his airplane. A second later the Lieutenant saw one of his tracer bullets penetrate the fuselage of the enemy machine where the observer was working a machine gun and there was no more fire from the German.

Lieutenant Taylor continued to fire at the German and after 450 shots had been fired, most of them at 70 yards, the enemy machine went spinning toward the earth in a nose dive.

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camp the fifth of last September, being one of the first increments of Morgan county men to leave.

Five other men accompanied him at that time, among them being Walter Andre, orderly; Evans, Radford, and others. Since that time Skeens has been at Camp Taylor and at the time of his death was in charge of a motorcycle unit. He was a specialist in motorcycle work and his ability with these machines was readily appreciated by his superiors in the National Army.

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The kaiser seems to be behind the Irish revolt against the draft.

Germany's long range guns  
must be out of commission. We  
haven't heard of a hospital shell-  
ed for some time.

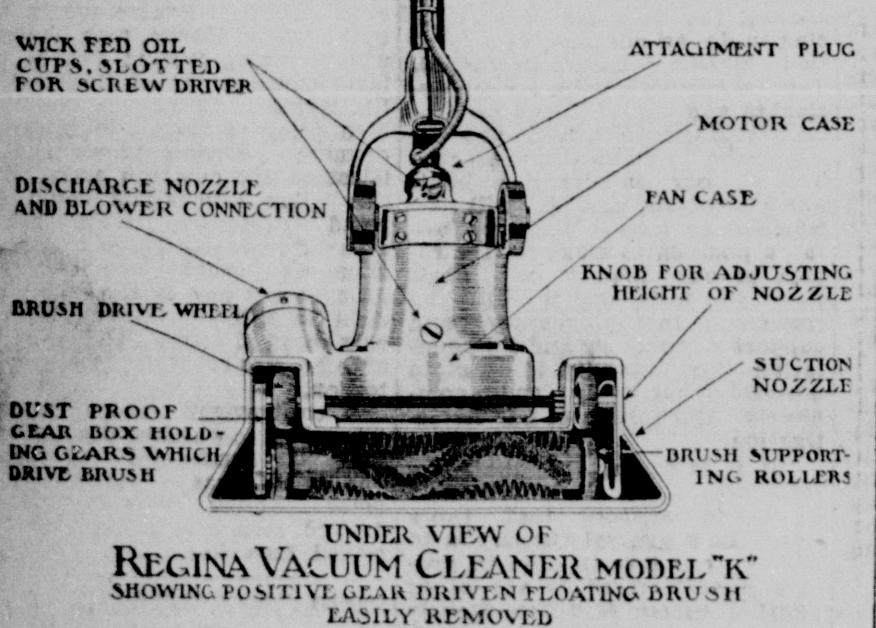
They have just completed an  
American U-boat destroyer that  
will travel 38 knots an hour. We  
need many such speedy boats.

According to the German gene-  
alogical charts, war has wiped out  
170 members of families of counts,  
632 of baronial families, 843 of  
"old noble" families and 836 of  
the "patient" nobility. With the  
Hohenzollern, Hindenburg, Von  
Tirpitz, Ludendorff, and such fam-  
ilies intact, owing to war's inability  
to apply the absent treatment,  
it will be more pleasant pastime  
for the kaiser to fill these hun-  
dreds of vacancies in the lower  
families of divine rights.

DENEEN'S WITHDRAWAL.  
Former Governor Charles S.  
Deneen has announced that he  
will not be a candidate for United  
States senator. This decision of  
Mr. Deneen's will be a welcome  
one. He is a forceful, able man,  
and his withdrawal will leave only  
two candidates in the field, Con-  
gressman Medill McCormick and  
Mayor William Hale Thompson. It  
will make a clean cut be-  
tween the two and their records  
are well-known. Just where Mr.  
Deneen's influence will go has not  
been told, but the Republicans of  
the state of Illinois must be satis-  
fied that their candidate is one  
who believes in a vigorous prosecu-  
tion of the war, and one who  
will support the administration in  
all legitimate war measures. The  
attitude of the Republican candi-  
date for United States senator in  
the state of Illinois must not be a  
doubtful one.

## DO YOUR PART

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the citizens of Morgan county will  
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## MEETING THE RED CROSS OBLIGATION

Subscriptions to the Red Cross in Jacksonville as recorded last night totaled practically \$17,000. This does not mean that the campaign is failing but it does mean that the subscriptions are not coming up to expectations and that many people are not giving as liberally as they should. There are too many people in comfortable circumstances who are contributing \$5, \$10 and \$15 when the figures should be \$50, \$75, \$100 or more.

M. F. Dunlap in a statement yesterday brought out the significant thought that Jacksonville seemingly needs some sort of a calamity to bring the people to fuller realization of their obligations and to touch their generosity. Mr. Dunlap quoted instances in various cities where devastation and property ruin have been followed by the greatest liberality on the part of the people.

Here the public has been moving along under prosperous conditions with nothing special to detract from that prosperity. Hundreds of young men have gone out from the county into the army service. In many ways the importance of war activity has been emphasized before the people, yet within the city of Jacksonville there is evident a certain kind of lethargy from which the people must awaken.

The subscriptions must be liberal if Jacksonville meets its quota and raises the excess which it should surely do, remembering the fact that no Red Cross subscription was made last year when other counties and cities were making noble and generous response. Let us hope that people will become aroused to the needs and demands in the present situation and that the awakening may come with out the calamity or the period of privation to which Mr. Dunlap referred.

In this connection it is appropriate to mention the subscription of \$2500 toward the fund made by Mr. Dunlap himself. As chairman of the Red Cross organization he is urging upon the people the necessity of supporting these war time activities. He has for months past been giving very largely of his time in special government work and in the present instance has shown his willingness not only to urge others to give liberally but to set the example himself.

Mr. Dunlap's subscription constitutes a heavy percentage of the total subscriptions thus far given in Jacksonville and should certainly furnish the impetus for liberal giving on the part of every Jacksonville resident. There are few local people, it is true, who can match this subscription in dollars but the opportunity is open for all to measure up to the liberality and interest it indicates in the great humanitarian work of the Red Cross.

control of their own territories and resources. As neighbors, the Japanese and Chinese must adjust all differences and go forward in harmony. Count Ishii's arrival as ambassador brings to Washington a statesman for whom we in America have an exceptionally high regard. Japan's services to the cause of the allies have been greater and more varied than is commonly known.

RIPPLING RHYMS  
By Walt Mason

WAKING UP.  
The government is waking from its profound repose; it's hustling round and taking some steps to can the foes. Big men are being chosen to make things hump along; our feet, which have been frozen, will know some warmth ere long. Ford's building naval flivers, or something of the kind, to give the Teuton shivers, and knock the U-boats blind. And Schwab is nimbly skipping along Atlantic piers, to hustle up the shipping, that's badly in arrears. And Ryan has been captured to turn out aeroplanes, and everyone's enraptured who knows this man of brains. And Edison, the wizard, has something up his sleeve to chill the Teuton gizzard, and make the kaiser grieve. Our Uncle Sam has risen, he takes a wiser stand; the nation's brains are his; to order and command. The giants he is calling, they come with loyal cheers; the little men are falling back to their normal spheres. In times of peace the lawyers may do official chores, but when the foe's destroyers are threatening our shores, we need the towering giant, conditions to improve, the captain, self reliant, who's built to make things move. The government is looking for big men, everywhere; the giants it is booking don't deal in heated air.

Mitchell-Connolly.

Friends here have received word of the marriage of George Bruce Mitchell and Miss Juliet Deming Connolly which occurred in St. Louis Saturday, May 11.

Mr. Mitchell is well known in Jacksonville. He is a traveling salesman and frequently came to Jacksonville and had many friends here. His bride is a well known society young woman of St. Louis. They will reside at 6315 Cabanne Place, St. Louis.

Russel & Thompson have just received another shipment of soldiers' wrist watches. The best watch for the money they have ever had.

## Social Events

Ebenezer Aid Held Sewing Wednesday.

The Ebenezer Ladies Aid held a sewing at the home of Mrs. Emma Cully Wednesday afternoon for the Red Cross. The ladies completed 14 garments for the Red Cross. During the afternoon Mrs. Cully served refreshments. The society is planning a supper soon, the proceeds of which will be given to the Red Cross.

Strawn's Crossing Club Hears of Food Conservation.

At the regular meeting of the Strawn's Crossing club held with Mrs. A. C. Foster Tuesday afternoon the regular program was omitted and the members were favored with a talk by Mrs. Parker Doan on food conservation. There was a good attendance of members and several visitors. Following the address a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

G. T. S. Club Met with Mrs. Douglas Hunt.

The regular meeting of the G. T. S. Club was held with Mrs. D. Hunt west of the city Wednesday afternoon. Eight members were present and the annual election of officers was held and the following selected:

President—Mrs. Douglas Hunt.

Vice President—Ethel Thomas.

Secretary—Mary Wolfe.

Treasurer—Myrtle Paschall.

A most pleasant afternoon was had and the hostess served refreshments.

COMING  
Friday and  
Saturday

Everybody Come Out and Boost for the Red Cross.

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Friday and  
Saturday

THREE BIG ACTS OF  
VAUDEVILLE

H. D. Graves of Columbus, Ohio, was calling on local business men Wednesday.

## WARREN MADDOX RANKS AS SERGEANT

Local Man Promoted at Camp Lewis, Washington—Recently Finished Signal School Work.

Warren B. Maddox has written his parents in this city from Camp Lewis, Washington, the letter quoted below. Mr. Maddox is in Co. C, 362d Infantry, Lewis Branch, Tacoma, Wash., and was recently made sergeant. He expects to leave the western camp at no distant date but is uncertain as to future movements. His letter follows:

Dear Father and Mother—

Your letter of the 28th came yesterday and was devoured with the usual pleasure. Also had a letter from Kitty. She is somewhat homesick, poor girl. I will write to her soon and try to cheer her up a little.

Yes, dad, I wrote last Sunday but not until evening, so you didn't get it until after you wrote. I think I told you in my having been promoted, and now wear sergeant's chevrons. I told you I'd get there, didn't I?

Nothing like advertising yourself. Mighty glad to hear you are getting the much needed rain. Hope it has the desired effect on wheat etc., thus enabling us to clear out the kaiser that much sooner.

I don't expect to spend many more weeks in Camp Lewis this summer but can't tell anything about it. I expected to leave in February but am still here.

That implement house ought to make considerable difference in the lasting of same, also less work in keeping them up.

Tom, Ha! and mother it looks as if you were going to do a real business in the poultry eggs and butter line this summer.

thought it was already gone. she'll have time to write her fat soldier brother. Ha! Ha!

Things are looking better for us now than when you wrote. The papers say something about the kaiser losing his mind. I thought it was already gone.

Yes, the Ordnance Department is that which looks after the field equipment of the army rifles, etc. They have been needing men. I think Carl Weber ought to make a good man.

We have been having some exceptionally fine weather for three or four weeks but had a needed rain today. The dust was getting bad.

Forty cents per pound for butter, lots of money seems to me. We had some hot cakes and good butter for breakfast this a. m.

Are those several bellow dragging hounds going to win with I guess not, never. They may advance a little this summer, but look out for next.

I finished signal school this morning. I don't know whether I learned much or not. Pay day ought to be in the near future.

Well am running out of gas so will close for this week.

Lovingly, Warren.

## SPECIALS

Regular Hams ..... 32c lb.  
Picnic Shoulders ..... 25c lb.  
Salt Jowl ..... 25c lb.  
Smoked Loin Back ..... 28c lb.  
Lard ..... 30c lb.

## WHITE PIG MARKET

## COUNTY LIBERTY BOARD RECORD

The sale of Liberty Bonds in Morgan county during the campaign recently closed made a showing of 122 per cent of the county's quota. W. R. Compton, chairman of the eighth federal reserve district, in a letter to M. F. Dunlap, Morgan county chairman, made the following statement:

My Dear Mr. Dunlap.

I want to personally congratulate you and the organization of Morgan County over your success in the Third Liberty Loan campaign.

The figures that we have received may be incorrect but we are sure at least that they lean to the side of conservatism. They show 1,970 subscribers and an oversubscription of your quota of approximately 122 per cent.

Please also congratulate, for me, the people of your county, who thru their subscriptions and energetic work have proved their loyalty and determination to back up our boys who are sacrificing themselves for the liberty and freedom which we are to enjoy.

The State of Illinois, with an oversubscription of approximately 171 per cent shows a remarkable record. The Eighth Federal Reserve District has been advertised throughout the nation as foremost in the contest for supremacy and I felicitate you on your part in bringing about this great measure of success.

I realize the great amount of work which your organization has put in—perhaps the many difficulties which you have had to overcome. It has been a real fight but the people have responded well and it is a comfortable feeling to know that a national good has come out of the effort.

Yours sincerely,  
W. R. Compton,  
Chairman.

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“An Old Sweetheart O’ Mine”

SEED CORN

My seed corn has arrived. I have it at my residence No. 202 N. Prairie St. Ill. phone No. 412. F. L. Hairgrove.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the Parent-Teachers association of the Washington school Friday at 3:30. Mrs. Henry English will talk on how to make jelly and can fruit. This will be the last meeting of the year and there will be an election of officers.

MEETING POSTPONED.

The meeting of the Orleans County club scheduled for Wednesday afternoon was postponed because of rain. The next meeting will be held Wednesday May 29, with Mrs. Little in Alexander.

BIRTH RECORD

Born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hutchens of 219 Brown street, a daughter.

Rummage sale Friday and Saturday, Gause Bldg., by Christian church women.

H. D. Graves of Columbus, Ohio, was calling on local business men Wednesday.

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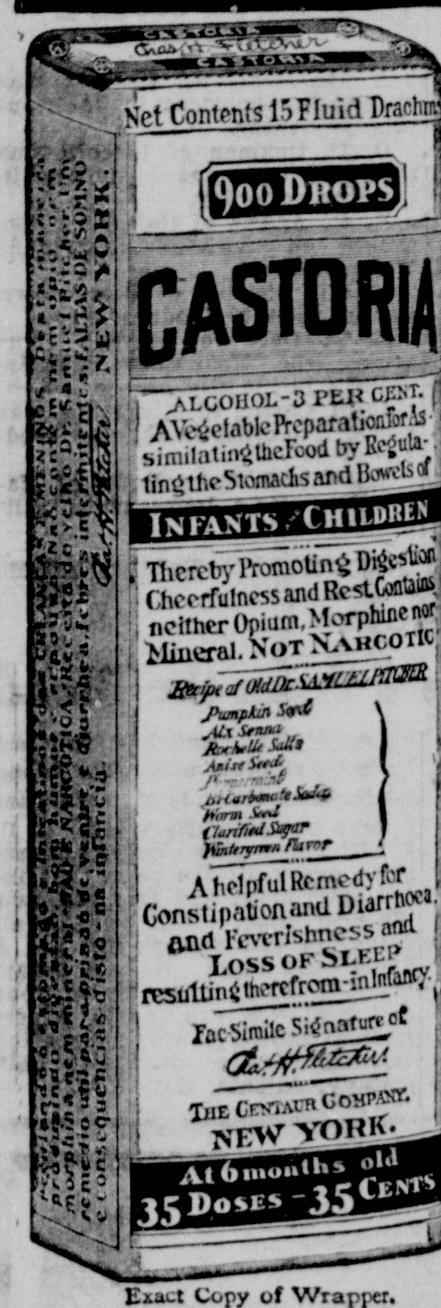
If you don't know, ask me. Three minutes' test will tell you what is needed; may add weeks of useful life to your Willard Battery.

Ask, while you're here, about the Still Better Willard with Threaded Rubber Insulation.

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Mr. Robert Williams,  
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December 27th, 1917.

Dear Sir:

You are right when you say in yours of December 24th that Senreco is a remarkably good tooth paste and that it has a strong story to tell, but the difficulty lies in putting that story in such language as will convince the public.

The Senreco story of a medicinal paste that not only cleanses the teeth but also keeps mouth and gums healthy, when put on paper does not sound very different from the story of just any ordinary dentifrice.

For that reason we make every effort to get the people to try Senreco. After that Senreco tells its own story - and fully 90% of them are Senreco users and boosters from then on.

There is a Senreco user in Pittsburgh who has introduced our product into the families of thirty-four of his friends. Enthusiasm? No, not entirely. Simply a case of Senreco making good. It is just as stated above. If they will try Senreco - if they once become acquainted with a real dentifrice - with what a dentifrice can and should be - they are Senreco boosters from that time on.

Your druggist or toilet counters can supply you with Senreco. It comes in large, two ounce tubes and retails at 25¢.

Why not get a tube to-day? Try it. We stand behind every package of Senreco with a money-back guarantee.

Very truly yours,  
SENRECO,  
CINCINNATI.

## CITY AND COUNTY

Robert Van Tuyle of Manchester was a caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

Calvin Simmons helped represent the southeast part of the county in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Augusta Waters was a city shopper from Murrayville yesterday.

George Roach of Literberry made a business trip down to the city yesterday.

George Mathews of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Charlesworth of Arenzville was one of the city shoppers yesterday. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. A. B. Smith and three children of Barry who are visiting her.

F. J. Ayers of Springfield was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

J. W. Nortrup of the northwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

S. Sands of Chicago was a visitor with some of his city friends yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Nickel of Concord was one of the city shoppers yesterday.

Dr. Waters made one of the number from Murrayville visiting the city yesterday.

Fletcher Bell of Manchester was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Blue McClure of Winchester was one of the travelers to the city yesterday.

James Smith helped represent Concord in the city yesterday.

G. C. Jenkins traveled from Springfield to the city on business yesterday.

M. A. Gibson of Roodhouse was one of the business men in the city yesterday.

M. T. Palmer of Bloomington rode down to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Sherman were city arrivals from Peoria yesterday.

C. A. Becker was a city visitor from Springfield yesterday.

Charles Masters was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

William Brockhouse of the vicinity of Concord made a business trip to the city yesterday.

George Roach of the vicinity of Literberry traveled down to the city yesterday.

Roy Crouse was one of the city arrivals from Concord yesterday.

Mrs. F. J. Simms visited yesterday with friends in Tallula.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Long attended the funeral of John Vasey near Orleans yesterday.

Miss Catharine Kaiser was a city shopper from Alexander yesterday.

Mrs. T. F. Mullarkey of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Smith on Doolin avenue.

Mrs. W. M. Vasconcellos of Peoria is visiting her mother, Mrs. B. F. Henderson on North Main street.

W. H. Suyan of Decatur was attending to matters in the city yesterday.

M. F. Mather of Chapin was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

R. C. Curtis helped represent Manchester in the city yesterday.

Samuel Bottom of Pisgah called on some of his city friends yesterday.

Clarence Dean of Manchester made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Lonergan of Murrayville was a visitor with city people yesterday.

Edward Van Tuyle of Manchester was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Mrs. R. E. Simmons, sons Lytle and Leon and daughter Ione and Edna were among the arrivals from Virginia yesterday.

Mrs. John Steinberg of Mere-dosa was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Gus Vallery of Arenzville was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Marine Smith and son and mother, Mrs. M. Reynolds of North Diamond street left yesterday for California where they expect to reside.

Thomas Tivenin who has been visiting friends in the city, left yesterday for his home in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graubner have returned to Peoria after a pleasant visit of a few days with home folks.

George Luken has sailed from Camp Dix and in due time will be

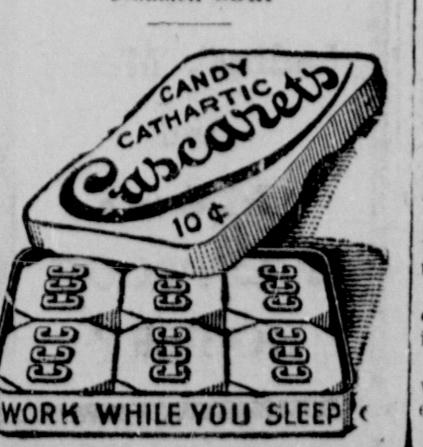
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Don't stay headache, constipated, sick, with breath bad and stomach sour



WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

## OLD JACKSONVILLE

SOME PEOPLE

By Ensley Moore

(Member Illinois State Historical Society)

Well?

Do you see that rough looking man in a rough looking top buggy, walking his horse around the east half of the north side of the square, probably going out "Herridstown street" - time about 1863.

That is Peter Cartwright, who is the elbow encyclopaedia.

Who is that other old man seeming to be a descendant of Rip Van Winkle, going around the same part of the square, in even a worse buggy - time from "a way back" to 1870?

That is Verien Daniels, and he is undoubtedly going out "Beardstown street"; for a about two miles out he will stand his best chance of getting his dinner right there where the Marshall-Millers used to turn north.

Who is that fine looking well dressed young man - in a blue coat with brass buttons that used to come up and go down "Springfield street" in the years before the War? He used to carry one shoulder a little down, and "throw himself a good deal as the former governor" Yates, and his brother Harry did.

"Don't you know who that is?" Well, sir, that is Richard Yates, destined to be Mayor of "The Future Great City."

Well? That was Capt. John Henry, a cabinet maker by trade, in whose shop the first celebration of the 4th of July, in Jacksonville, was arranged. He was a member of both houses of our legislature, a member of Congress, and was in the Quartermaster's Department in the Civil War, under Col. James Dunlap.

Capt. Henry lived last at the northwest corner of College avenue and Westminster street, and went to St. Louis about 1866 to finish out his days. There his grandson was Mayor of "The Future Great City."

Now tell me who that little loose-jointed man was, whose legs and arms used to go "up and go up and down "Springfield street"?" He was well up to Lincoln's height and breadth, and as to looks, they would have each gotten about half of the prize knife.

That was "Matt" Stacy, harness man, insurance agent, county or circuit clerk, town trustee, and Mayor of Jacksonville. He was a great Methodist, and a strong Union man, and Jacksonville was the better for having Mr. Stacy as an early settler and a long time citizen.

His store was at the exact southeast corner of the Square, and his last residence was out on South Clay avenue.

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 The Red Cross Drive is On. Have You Done Your Part? 

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## DISLOYALTY CASE BRINGS QUICK ACTION

**I**TIZENS' COMMITTEE VISITED WOMAN WHO HAD DECLARED AMERICA OUGHT TO LOSE WAR.

**R**etraction and Promise of Better Behavior Given—Red Cross Subscription Changed from \$2 to \$100—Mr. Dunlap Suggests Calamity Here Might Release Purse Strings.

### A RETRACTION AND A PROMISE

"I hereby retract any and all disloyal statements made yesterday when solicited for the Red Cross fund, and I promise to be a loyal citizen from this time forth and will not again utter any sentiments other than patriotic, and, in evidence as to the good faith of this statement I have pledged \$100 to the Red Cross fund, of my own free will and accord."

"Signed ———."

There was almost breathless interest at the noonday luncheon of Red Cross workers Wednesday when Chairman Crabtree indicated that, and others associated in the work had just returned from an important errand, one which affected the loyalty of a Jacksonville woman. He then called upon Mrs. R. C. Singley to relate the experience when soliciting a subscription from one woman. The utterances were so disloyal that Mrs. Singley reported the case to Mr. Crabtree. Hastily a committee meeting was called and a visit was then paid to the woman in question. She was asked about the traitorous utterances she had made, retracted them, changed her subscription to the Red Cross fund from \$2 to \$100 and made the written promise given above that the government would have no further cause to complain of her conduct.

**BLOOD THIRSTY AMERICANS.** Mrs. Singley at the request of Mr. Crabtree stated briefly that she had called upon this woman and asked for a Red Cross subscription. The reply came that she did not believe in this war at all and that if Americans had stayed off the water that the country would not have been in the war. The woman said that there were too many blood-thirsty

But the disloyal one by this time began to retract and declared to the committee that she had not meant to be disloyal and that there would be no further trouble from her on that account. She asked the privilege of changing her subscription and wrote out a check to the Red Cross for \$100. Then she signed a statement which appears herewith. Mr. Crabtree in reference to the incident said that there are thought to be about twenty-five or thirty similar cases in Morgan county and that some quick action will be taken if any of these people are reported.

Further impressiveness was lent to the incident by Rev. M. L. Pontius, who had been presiding as chairman at the noon day meeting. Mr. Pontius referred to a recent trip on a Liberty Loan train and said that one man in the party is on intimate terms of friendship with President Wilson and has personal acquaintance with every member of the cabinet. Mr. Pontius was able to say on the authority of this man that a coach load of citizens had been taken from Chicago, two coach loads from Milwaukee and almost as many from Cleveland, Cincinnati, Indianapolis and some other cities which might be named, and conveyed to southern camps because of their disloyal utterances. The minister could say on the same authority that when the war is over the property belonging to these people of whatever kind will be sold by the government at the best price it will bring, and debts of these persons will be paid from the proceeds and the remaining will be turned over to them. Then they will be conveyed by train to an eastern port and furnished passage across seas to the Germany that they love so much.

**DISLOYALTY MUST STOP.** M. F. Dunlap read the written statement of this woman and used the words as a text for the declaration that the time had gone past when any even seeming disloyalty on the part of the people can be passed over. "What do we have a state council of defense for if it is not to take action on cases of this kind?" said Mr. Dunlap. "It is our duty to put a stop to disloyal utterances and every case which comes to the attention of this organization will have the prompt action that it deserves. And what is the matter with Jacksonville with reference to this Red Cross campaign? The working people—those of lesser means—are doing their part but this is not true of others who have more means at their command. Look at Alexander and Franklin, with their subscriptions of more than 200 percent and then look at our situation in Jacksonville. We need some calamity to awaken us from our lethargy or whatever it may be that is holding down our subscriptions.

**DISASTERS AND LIBERALITY.** Franklin only a week or ten days ago suffered a very heavy loss from windstorm and yet that precinct was the first to make its report and then double its quota. I remember that the record shows that after Chicago had been devastated by a great fire that the people recovered quickly and were able to aid suffering people elsewhere. I do not doubt that if last summer when we had our water famine here, if a great fire had swept over the city that we would be more liberal and open-handed today that we are. Niggardly subscriptions is the term that must truthfully be applied to many of those which have been given in Jacksonville thus far, and there must be some more generous giving to put this campaign on its feet."

**BREAKS ARM IN FALL.** Mrs. Mary Hegarty of East Railroad street sustained a fracture of the left arm in a fall at her home Sunday evening. Dr. W. P. Duncan was called and attended the injury.

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LIEUT. RENARD

French Army Officer will speak at Opera House tonight.

## RED CROSS DRIVE IN JACKSONVILLE

**TWO DAYS TOTALS ABOUT \$17,000—Showing in County Precincts Better.**

### RED CROSS TOTALS FOR JACKSONVILLE

First Ward ..... \$1,836.34  
Second Ward ..... 5,234.80  
Third Ward ..... 1,500.00  
Fourth Ward ..... 7,141.20  
High School, etc. ..... 1,194.16  
Total ..... \$16,906.44

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT MASS MEETING

Owing to an error in dates, Lieut. Renard of the French army and his associate, Joel W. Eastman, did not come to Jacksonville for the mass meeting at the opera house last night but they will arrive today and will speak at the opera house tonight. Because of the conflict the people of Meredosia generously agreed to surrender their right to Sgt. Wayman and he presented the war cause at the Wednesday night mass meeting.

As previously stated, Lieut. Renard is a French officer who has seen two years of service at the front. Mr. Eastman is a platform speaker of wide renown. The meeting tonight will be at 8 o'clock and promises to be of a stirring patriotic kind.

### FUNERALS

Vasey.

Wednesday marked the second day of the Red Cross campaign and Chairman Crabtree was able to announce last night total subscriptions of \$16,906.44 toward the Jacksonville quota of \$23,697. This sum was by no means as large as the committee had originally hoped to announce but cannot be called discouraging. The weather Wednesday was not favorable for solicitation work and a number of persons expected to subscribe were not interviewed. The weather also interfered with the work in the county and returns from the districts outside Jacksonville were meager.

### COUNTY FIGURES.

However, Waverly sent in the cheering news that \$1,900 had been raised toward a quota of \$2,595 and it is very evident that that town will go far over the top. Lynnyville also reported \$328 collected by three teams during the day. They comprise a comparatively small part of the workers and there was no hesitation in promising that Lynnyville's quota of \$395 will be easily doubled.

The figures from Franklin remain at \$3,382.66 and from Alexander at \$3,300. There is such a good natured rivalry between these neighboring precincts that some substantial additions are expected in both precincts, altho 200 per cent has already been exceeded in each case.

This feeling was indicated by Warren Luttrell of Franklin, who attended the Wednesday luncheon and spoke briefly. By all odds the most talked of incident of the day was the sensational retraction of disloyal utterances on the part of a Jacksonville woman, owing to the prompt action of the Red Cross "vigilance" committee.

### ONLY THE LOYAL NOW.

The details of this incident are recorded in another column and the effect will no doubt be to impress upon the minds of any with pro-German sentiments that this is a time when the public will brook no such un-American feeling. It will impress, too, the fact that pretty good proof of loyalty and interest in the war is given by generous Red Cross contributions. The statements with reference to this case made by M. F. Dunlap, E. E. Crabtree and Mrs. R. C. Singley were heard with the most intense interest. Sgt. Wayman and Rev. M. L. Pontius also added to the Red Cross interest at the noon hour.

The workers were busy all during the afternoon, both in the office and in the residence district, and the interest of the day was heightened by the mass meeting at the opera house at night.

### BREAKS ARM IN FALL.

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**J. D. Harworth** of St. Louis was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

**MR. DOHERTY** of Chicago, state factory inspector, was calling on a number of Jacksonville firms yesterday.

**MRS. L. K. HATCH** and daughter Frances arrived at home Wednesday at 5:30 p. m. from the south after a number of months absence.

**J. M. KEefe** of Bloomington was a city caller Wednesday.

## RED CROSS PRAISED AT OPERA HOUSE MEETING

**SERGEANT WAYMAN GAVE ANOTHER WORD PICTURE OF WAR.**

**RED CROSS AND IRON CROSS CONTRASTED BY M. F. DUNLAP IN 'OPENING REMARKS.'** E. E. Crabtree Read Government Warning Conveyed in Telegram—Loyalty and Liberality Both Expected from People.

Another grand outpouring at the opera house last evening showed that the people of Jacksonville are awake to the importance of the Red Cross enough to turn out and hear the cause eulogized by men who know the value of it. Splendid music was supplied by the regular opera house orchestra and fully appreciated. M. F. Dunlap called on Rev. W. R. Leslie for an invocation and then, led by Miss Nelle Self, the audience joined in "America."

Mr. Dunlap said in brief:

"Things might be better and they might be worse. We have had a lot of surprises, some agreeable and some not so. Many wealthy persons are not by any means doing their duty and many of quite limited means are doing more than they really should. We must get down to business. What is Jacksonville going to do in this drive? Think what the small places are doing. Can we not wake up and realize that the country is at war? Must we have calamity to bring us to our senses? Franklin has gone 200 per cent of her quota after the dire calamity of the recent storm. If we had suffered a disastrous conflagration when our water supply was so low perhaps we would be more liberal now. How little we do in comparison with the men who go to the front and face the enemy."

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"It was Belgium that saved the world from the iron heel of the autocracy now fighting so fiercely for supremacy. It was France who held them back at Marne; it is the British navy that keeps them from ravaging our coasts; it is Italy which has helped in the great fight. There are two crosses prominent in the world today: the Red Cross and the iron cross; one stands for love, mercy, devotion to humanity and the other for all that is vile and satanic. Which shall prevail?"

The meeting was then turned over to Mr. Crabtree who said that today we had word of one of the early sacrifices made by the country in the death of Kenneth Skeen of Franklin, who had died in camp.

At the suggestion of Mr. Dunlap the audience stood with bowed heads for a moment as a token of respect.

Mr. Crabtree then announced the meeting tonight when Lieut. Renard and Mr. Eastman, a noted speaker, are to be present. He also paid a high compliment to Lloyd Reid and his corps of assistants who had so very finely decorated the opera house. He said in part:

"I do not see why the work has not proceeded better. With the large corps of solicitors we should have had our quota the second day. The wealthy have not done their duty. We have secured \$15,993.15 and are still some \$8,000 short in Jacksonville. Mr. Dunlap has led with \$2,500, but many able to give large sums have put down \$2, \$3 and \$5 and some nothing. We have in our community fifty people at least able to do large things and who have done very little. It is wholly possible that the government may have something to say to these people. I have received from St. Louis the following telegram:

**A GOVERNMENT WARNING.**

"St. Louis, May 22nd.  
E. E. Crabtree,  
Jacksonville, Ill."

"Agents of government report a considerable number of well-to-do persons in your county who are not supporting various war activities; also some who are supporting only in a limited way. Government does not propose that persons of this class be allowed to pass unnoticed. They do not see their duty and realize that their very existence and prosperity depend upon their subscription to these causes and at this time particularly to the Red Cross. The government proposes to see that they are shown their duty and you need not be surprised if the department at Washington makes an investigation of these cases in a very emphatic way."

The sergeant referred also to his visit to the School for the Deaf, where the pupils had given him the most marked attention.

Miss Myrtle Johnson of St. Louis is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. P. Conlee, on Howe street. Later Miss Johnson expects to go to Ullin, Ill., to visit her parents.

**A TEXAS WONDER.**

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**J. M. KEefe** of Bloomington was a city caller Wednesday.

The \$45,000 asked for now is not a part of what we failed to raise last year but is only our present quota.

Sergeant Wayman was then introduced, he being present thru the generosity of the people of Meredosia who gave him up when they learned the mistake that had been made regarding Lieut. Renard by the bureau managing his debts. Only a very small part of the gentleman's superb address is given:

**GERMAN ARMY METHODS.**

"I have heard of people who say if they knew the boys at the front would get what they give to the Red Cross they would double their subscription. Such persons are not worthy to live in this free country; they make an excuse to save their pockets. We must watch the enemy at all times and know just what he is doing. The army has an intelligence bureau and that body aims to know just where the enemy trenches are; just what forces he has; how they are distributed; where the tunnels are; what his armament is; his forces; how distributed and a thousand other things all of which are communicated to the commander. It will be readily seen how much more valuable is an experienced man for securing such information.

The sergeant then proceeded to give a vivid picture of the work done by the army of the allies and told of the adventures of the men, what they encountered, how they were prepared, equipped, suffered and endured. It was a graphic picture drawn by one who had helped make it many times.

He told of the devilish cruelty of the Germans; how they devastated the land they captured, poisoned the wells and did all manner of brutal things. He told of the sufferings of the weak and defenseless and then in a grand way depicted the angels of mercy sent out by the Red Cross to relieve the sufferings of the victims of German savagery and the wounded of the armies, the enemy being treated kindly too. It was a grand appeal and surely will bear fruit.

**THE TWO CROSSES.**

"It was Belgium that saved the world from the iron heel of the autocracy now fighting so fiercely for supremacy. It was France who held them back at Marne; it is the British navy that keeps them from ravaging our coasts; it is Italy which has helped in the great fight. There are two crosses prominent in the world today: the Red Cross and the iron cross; one stands for love, mercy, devotion to humanity and the other for all that is vile and satanic. Which shall prevail?"

The meeting was then turned over to Mr. Crabtree who said that today we had word of one of the early sacrifices made by the country in the death of Kenneth Skeen of Franklin, who had died in camp.

At the suggestion of Mr. Dunlap the audience stood with bowed heads for a moment as a token of respect.

Sergeant Wayman took occasion to mention the very earnest work being done in this campaign by Mrs. F. E. Farrell and Mrs. E. E. Crabtree and said that whatever he had been able to accomplish had been largely thru their faithful co-operation. Chairman Crabtree also came in for a share of praise, and showed his embarrassment at the compliments plainly.

Sergeant Wayman made a touching reference to his visit to the School for the Blind Wednesday morning and said the scene tugged at his heart as nothing had done for many months. Little blind children met him at the door of the chapel carrying the flags of the allies and preceded him to the platform. The appreciation of his address by all the blind pupils was especially apparent and their singing of the patriotic songs of this and the allied nations had been especially effective.

The sergeant referred also to his visit to the day before to the School for the Deaf, where the pupils had given him the most marked attention.

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No. 5, daily...7:15 a. m.

No. 28, leaves...2:50 p. m.

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### ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM ARENZVILLE

Brief Paragraphs Telling of the Doings of Residents of Arenzville and Vicinity.

Arenzville, May 22.—Dr. J. R. Barker and A. C. Metcalf of Illinois Woman's college of Jacksonville talked to the pupils of the High school a few days ago their visit was under auspices of the Council of National Defense.

Two girls sick in graduating class—Miss Armetta Meyer has measles and Miss Hazel Ray is very sick with pneumonia.

Baccalaureate sermon will be Sunday, June 2nd.

Quite a number from here attended the Patriotic Rally at Virginia Sunday the Red Cross War Drive began Monday May 20th in Cass County. Arenzville's captain is A. H. Barthelheim, quotas assigned \$1,470.

Mr. Ragan of Mt. Zion church preached her Sunday night at M. E. church sermon was a very good one, owing to inclemency of weather there was not so many out.

Arthur Wood and wife and Oscar Nieman and wife autoed to Jacksonville a few days ago. Mrs. George Orr of Virginia is a guest of Herald Weeks and family.

Little Mabel Gates of Jacksonville, who is attending school spent over week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Irving.

Lee McGinnies was a caller near Providence a few days ago.

Muriel Pflegraff was a business caller at Jacksonville since last week.

Everett Pool of Jacksonville, Illinois College, spent Sunday here.

Miss Hazel McCarty returned from a brief visit with her sister Mrs. Howard Renstchler of Concord.

Henry Kicker was transacting business at Beardstown recently.

J. A. Weeks was a Virginia caller this week.

Miss Letitia Reaugh of Jacksonville spent over week end with her parents.

Herbert and George Vasconcellos of Jacksonville motorized her recently.

Harvey Meyer and family of Meredosia spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Hannah Vasconcellos of Jacksonville spent a few days

her with friends recently. William Greer and Herschel Schaefer of Beardstown spent Sunday here.

Russel & Thompson have just received another shipment of soldiers' wrist watches. The best watch for the money they have ever had.

### EXEMPTION BOARD NEWS

The board has been notified of the enlistment of Raymond Ryan of Franklin in the navy thru the Peoria recruiting office. Clarence Chipchase, also in the jurisdiction of the local board, enlisted in the navy thru Chicago. The papers for both of these men indicate that they are now in the U. S. navy reserve fleet.

When twenty five men leave this morning for Jefferson Barracks they will be in charge of Adam Ehrhart as chief officer. His assistants will be John C. Evans, Alfred J. Kehl and Thomas B. Ranson.

Frank Byrns' Hat Store was a busy place yesterday where Co. D men were receiving their Hats, Belts, Leggings and Ties.

Miss Fanny Masters of the southwest part of the county left yesterday for a visit with her brother, James, residing in Sand Point, Idaho. Before returning she expected to visit friends in Wyoming.

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### H. S. STEVENSON DEAD AT COUNTRY HOME

Illness Extended Over Long Period.

The death of Harry Scott Stevenson occurred at 10:45 o'clock Wednesday morning at his home in Little Indian. The death of Mr. Stevenson came following a long and severe period of illness and his going was a release from suffering. Mr. Stevenson, who is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Stevenson, was born on the home farm near Little Indian in July 1869.

The early years of his life were spent on the farm and subsequently he became a resident of Jacksonville. He attended the public schools in Cass county and in this city and subsequently became a student at Illinois college, graduating in the class of 1890. He engaged in the business of farming and for a period was associated with his father in farming and the raising of livestock. He was successful in his work and was a man who held the high regard of all his intimates.

Mr. Stevenson was married to Miss Leanne Leake of Waverly Oct. 12, 1897, and is survived by his wife and one son, William Robert Day. For more than a year past Mr. Stevenson has been ill. Four months ago he submitted to a serious operation. There came afterward a period when he seemed better but the seriousness of his condition was realized and for sometime past the members of his family circle have known that the end could not be long deferred.

Peoples' Cases.

The following entries were made on the people's docket yesterday:

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Oscar Gray, charged with burglary and larceny; case dismissed by state's attorney.

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Argument By Attorneys Began Yesterday—East St. Louis Attorney a Witness.

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The principal interest of the day was attached to the testimony of D. J. Sullivan, well known attorney of East St. Louis. Mr. Sullivan some years ago was a resident of Greene county and it had been the claim of the petitioner that Mr. Sullivan was familiar with the details of the alleged contract. His statement was that when he was first asked about Mr. Mason's affairs subsequent to his death, that the reference was to will and not to a contract. In the original bill filed by the complainant it was set forth that Mr. Sullivan had as a notary taken the acknowledgment to the signatures to the contract but later this claim was struck from the will.

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Mrs. Perry C. Thompson will give a reading Saturday evening, May 25th, at 8 p. m., at Academy Hall, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

No admission will be charged, but a voluntary offering will be received at the door, all of which will be contributed to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Thompson will read scenes from "Seventeen," a novel by Booth Tarkington that has recently been dramatized. "A tale of youth and summertime full of chuckles and reminiscence of many estate and dispairing moments we have all known when we were 'Seventeen.'

The public is cordially invited to hear this charming reading and to contribute whatever it wishes to a worthy cause.

CLUB MEETING POSTPONED.

The Mound Woman's Country Club meeting has been postponed until May 31st on account of sickness.

### MOOSE GAVE BANQUET TUESDAY EVENING

Members Gather to Give Farewell to Departing Members — Program Given.

Members of the Loyal Order of Moose gave a farewell banquet in the lodge rooms Tuesday evening in honor of members who leave soon for training camps. The order has a number of men in the service and more expecting to receive the call.

More than 200 members were present Tuesday evening. A program of addresses and musical numbers was given. E. A. Olds acted as chairman of the evening. The principal address was given by O. E. Tandy. J. Bart Johnson also was called upon and made a few remarks.

Music was furnished by the Drake-Johnson orchestra. Musical numbers were given by Ralph Neinhaus of Burlington, Ia., who was in the city enroute to the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, a duet by Messrs. Reynolds and Dunlap, solos by J. H. Perry, James B. Swift, and the Moose quartet, Messrs. Connelly, Perry, McGill and Neinhaus.

John Forgyart was master of ceremonies. Michael McGinnis, dictator of